

Two things impressed your Hampden county delegation at Wednesday's Red River Valley association meeting in Shreveport:

First: The demand for flood control, navigation and power projects along the Red had reached such proportions that it brought to Shreveport two national figures—Treasury Secretary John W. Snyder and Army Chief of Staff Gen. Omar Bradley.

Second: On the wall of the Washington-Yorke hotel assembly room where we met yesterday morning was a giant map which told more forcibly than words could the whole story of Red river valley planning.

There was the outline of the Narrows dam project, now under construction near Fort Snareport, and there also was the vast figure of the Millwood dam, authorized by congress but not yet covered by appropriation.

What startled us was the size of the Millwood project, dwarfing the Narrows dam and lake, and the closeness of the big project to Fulton. The Millwood project apparently would put a major lake within 25 or 30 miles of Hope.

McQueen is opposed to the Millwood dam, but Texarkana, Fulton, and presumably Hope, are for it. We have to get this opposition matter settled and work actually started in order to bring Red river valley development to our very door.

In previous years the Red River Valley association had on its list of approved projects the building of navigation facilities up Red river as far as Snareport; but at yesterday's meeting a resolution was adopted urging the board to approve navigation all the way to the Donson (Texas) dam—which would carry the navigation head far past Fulton, to the historic end of river traffic on Red river.

The September regional meeting of the association will be held in Texarkana, and Hope Chamber of Commerce participation, which began with the meeting in Shreveport yesterday, will probably be continued in our neighboring city then.

Red River Valley association is headed by Homer H. Harris, Sr., of Alexandria, La., and on the executive board is W. I. Murphy of Texarkana. Regional vice-presidents are:

For Texas: C. E. Palmer, Texarkana; and others.

For Arkansas: Brooks Shults, Fulton; J. W. Meeks, Jr., Braley, and others.

Yesterday's delegation from Hope added Byron Hefner after publication of the official list. Here are those who made the trip to Shreveport (Mr. Shults going from Fulton):

Charles A. Armistead, secretary-manager of Hope Chamber of Commerce; and Mr. Hefner, State Representative Talbot Field, Jr., Vincent Foster, Martin Pool, Leo House, Mayor Albert S. Fink, and myself.

T-H Law's First Legal Test Follows a Sensible Course

By JAMES THRASHER

It was a pleasant change to read, in Federal Judge Ben Moore's decision, an unhesitating criticism of the Taft-Hartley Labor Law. He was able to rule that the section of the law in question violated the Constitution, without accusing the law's authors of trying to destroy unions and enslave workers.

Judge Moore dealt directly with the issue before him. This was whether a union might use its dues-financed newspaper to conduct anti-union propaganda in connection with a federal election. The law said it could not. The law also said that banks and corporations could not do this either, since they—along with labor organizations—were prohibited from making any contributions in connection with federal elections.

The matter of contributions was not questioned or dealt with, nor were the general implications considered. Judge Moore's point was that the law's prohibition on expenditures interfered with freedom of the press.

He emphasized that the First Amendment does more than protect the publisher of a "newspaper or editorial sheet." It also protects the right of people to be informed on views represented by conflicting interests and opinions. This was particularly important at election time, he said, and more particularly important as regards the views of working men and women.

Nothing was said in the decision about the fact that this section of the law, it held constitutional, might have prohibited editorial comment on federal elections in newspapers which are owned by corporations. But much had been made of that fact before the trial. And many opponents of the labor law had scoffed at those newspapers which supported a law that might curb their own freedom.

Such scoffing is beside the point. The Taft-Hartley Law is a varied and detailed set of rules for the broad field of labor-management relations. Quite naturally it is not perfect and beyond amendment, but that is no reason to damn it lock, stock and barrel.

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20 Years Ago Today

A man and woman were charged with poisoning a community well at a lumber camp at Pouke, Ark. Several persons have been stricken and are under a doctor's care—Phillip McRae of Hope was on the "black list" of the town. The Hope High School band had a dance orchestra known as the "Black Kats"—Sheriff McRae announced from Washington that the governors had extended time for paying taxes 60 days.

## British to Ask Apology for New Russian Charges

Berlin, April 8 — (UP)—Great Britain is expected to demand an apology from Moscow for the latest Russian note charging Britain with "provocative" aims in blaming Russia for the Berlin air crash, a high official source said today.

The Russian note, delivered to Lt. Gen. Sir Brian Robertson by Russia's Marshal Vasily D. Sokolovsky, said the British version of the crash was a "defamation" and hinted that Russia might seal the Western Allies' air corridor to Berlin.

"It is apparent that Sokolovsky received new instructions from Moscow," the high official source said. "He has changed his tune since Gen. Robertson talked to him Monday night."

"Discussions are in progress to transfer the incident to a higher level. It is expected the matter will be dealt with on a governmental level."

The British version said the Russian fighter crashed into the British plane while buzzing it. Fifteen persons were killed, 14 in the British plane and the Russian pilot.

Both British and American authorities termed the Russian reply "insulting, provocative and hostile."

Robertson, arriving in Berlin shortly before noon after making a speech at Duesseldorf yesterday, refused to comment on Sokolovsky's note until he had conferred with his staff.

Sokolovsky's note rejected a proposal for a four-power investigation of the crash, although the Russians earlier agreed to a joint British-Russian investigation.

The Russian said he hoped the British would abide by air regulations in the future and thus relieve him of the necessity of securing the safety of air traffic over Soviet areas—which observers saw as the hint of a threat to close the corridor.

## 200 Attend Flower Show Wednesday

The City Federation of Garden Clubs held its spring flower show Wednesday, April 7, in the Christian Church fellowship hall. The federation is composed of five clubs and is headed by Mrs. Charles Wyle.

Approximately 200 guests viewed the display of spring flowers including tulips, iris, spirea, dogwoods, Verbena and many other varieties.

The displays, in attractive containers, evidenced the individuality of the donors and were arranged on tables by a committee in charge.

A number of antiques were displayed including 30 China dolls in the collection of Mrs. J. C. Carlton.

The president of the clubs presided at intervals at the tea table serving punch and cookies.

Mrs. Garrett Story served as chairman of the show, assisted by the committee members who cooperated and helped make a success of the show.

## Outspoken Newsmen Badly Beaten

Joliet, Ill., April 8 — (AP)—A former state legislator, publisher of a newspaper with outspoken political views, was reported near death today from a vicious beating.

William R. McCabe, 65, one-time Illinois state's attorney, was found unconscious last night on a road near his farm home two miles east of Lockport. His skull was fractured. Two legs and one arm were broken.

"Well they finally got me," were McCabe's first words on regaining consciousness.

He did not elaborate on who they might be, Miss Amelia Zelko, his secretary for 10 years and first person to speak with the injured man, said he had been fighting editorially what he considered a corrupt political setup in the county since 1935.

At St. Joseph's hospital here, Dr. J. J. Amadio said he found what appeared to be bullet holes in both of McCabe's legs. The physician said X-ray pictures would be made to determine if the wounds were inflicted by bullets or some other instrument.

A police guard has been posted at the victim's bedside against the possibility of a second attack.

Police said McCabe told this: "I left my farm home to meet friends at a Joliet hotel. A short distance down the road his car was forced to a halt by another automobile containing three men. Two of the men, both armed, leaped into McCabe's automobile, forcing him between them on the front seat. They beat him with an iron bar or spiked club, then drove about a mile where the beating continued."

McCabe said the men demanded \$5,000 and wanted to know if he kept that amount at his farm. He said he didn't have that much but offered them \$25 and a watch. The men then administered a further beating. He lost consciousness.

## Greek King Has Trouble When Train Derails

Tripolis, Greece, April 8 (UP)—King Paul of Greece and American Lt. Gen. James Van Fleet had a brush with trouble today when a guard train going just ahead of one on which they were traveling was derailed and tumbled down an embankment.

Authorities reported that a quick check turned up no sign of sabotage and for the time being they were regarding the derailment as an accident.

Four soldiers were injured, none seriously, when five cars of the guard train rolled down a 15-yard embankment after the engine left the rails.

This was Van Fleet's second narrow escape in three weeks. About 100 pounds of dynamite was found just ahead of his train near Kilikis recently.

## Hoffman to Borrow U. S. Employees

Washington, April 8 (UP)—ERP Chief Paul G. Hoffman set out today to "bag, borrow or steal" employees from other government agencies to speed operation of the \$500,000,000 European recovery program.

The automobile manufacturer, who was confirmed by the Senate yesterday as ERP administrator, said he will name a deputy director and a roving ambassador perhaps today and surely within a week.

Among those mentioned for the deputy post are Daniel W. Bell, former undersecretary of treasury; Ferdinand Eberstadt, New York investment banker; and Richard F. Allen, director of the wartime aid program for France, Italy and Austria.

Lewis W. Douglas, U. S. ambassador to Britain, is said to be under consideration for the roving ambassadorship, but there is some doubt whether he would accept such a position.

Hoffman has been authorized to draw employees from other government agencies if necessary. More than 5,000 persons have applied for ERP jobs, but the new administrator has indicated he will hold his staff to 500 or 600.

The ERP agency will be housed in five floors of a new office building, one block from the White House.

Hoffman hopes to lay the groundwork for his new agency before the all-important Italian elections, just 10 days from now.

## Reds Attack U. S. Letter Campaign

Rome, April 8 — (AP)—The Communist-backed Popular Front attacked today the letter-writing drive of Italian-Americans urging Communist defeat in the April 18 elections.

Italians in America have sent a flood of letters to Italy, and this attack against them was seen by some as an indication the letters are having considerable effect.

Avanti!, the newspaper of the pro-Communist Socialist Front, gave its entire back page to a multi-colored blast against the letters. It urged that the page be cut out and pasted up as a poster.

Meanwhile, party members hitched up their belts for a final week of campaigning for Italy's vital parliamentary balloting.

Reports from both Communists and anti-Communists as well as from foreign observers indicate the final campaign week may bring some surprises. There are possibilities that anti-Communist efforts to capture wavering votes may develop.

Communists in Rome have been boasting that the "last big electoral coup will be ours."

Torals might be ready to expose an alleged Communist plot to force the people to leave Rome if the Popular Front wins.

## Court Hears Drunk Driving Cases Today

Several drunk driving appeal cases were heard in Circuit Court today before it was adjourned until Monday, the second week, by Judge Dexter Bush. The following cases were heard:

Robert Hamilton, plea of guilty to drunk driving, fined \$25 with stay of fine.

H. C. Kennedy, charged with drunk driving, mistrial.

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## He's Not Scared



Mrs. R. G. Edwards of Atlanta, Georgia, smiles at three-year-old Richard Scott Edwards after he survived a four-story fall with no more damage than a few bruises. Richard scampered to the fourth floor of an apartment building when his mother's back was turned, entered an open apartment and fell from the open window. There were no broken bones and his mother said he didn't even cry much.

## VFW Auxiliary Officers Are Installed

New officials of the VFW Auxiliary were administered oath of office in an impressive ceremony last night at the VFW Hut, east on Highway 67. Installation services were in charge of Mrs. Pearl Barr, Little Rock, national organizer and past president of Arkansas.

The meeting was opened by outgoing president, Mrs. Ruth Fenwick who turned the ceremony over to Mrs. Barr. Assisting in the ritual were Mrs. Hattie D. Butterworth of Auxiliary 77, Little Rock and Mrs. Mary Keck, conductress of Auxiliary 77, Little Rock.

The pipeline parallels the mountainous Jerusalem Tel Aviv highway, a scene of bitter fighting for three months.

A Jewish convoy of about 50 trucks, the second in three days, arrived over that highway today with food for Jerusalem's 100,000 Jews. The Jewish militia Hagannah provided the escort.

Arabs intensified efforts to dislodge Jews from Kastel Village, overlooking the highway five miles west of Jerusalem. Hagannah occupied the village Saturday because Arabs had attacked Jewish convoys from it.

By unofficial tally, 2,428 persons have been slain in Palestine since the United Nations voted for partition last Nov. 29.

## Army Week Stirs Memories — Here Again Is Story of the 'Best Dam Soldier in the Army'

By HAL BOYLE

New York — (AP)—Memories are being stirred in millions of combat veterans this week by Army Day parades and ceremonies across America.

Maj. Gen. F. L. Parks, army public information chief, suggested to former war correspondents that it would be a good time to reprint one of their favorite war stories.

Here is mine — a bouquet to soldier that time couldn't tame, KIA (killed in action) in the Normandy breakthrough:

"Leave me tell you," he used to say, "I'll get those Germans."

That was back in the United States. Shortly I and what most soldiers regard as a soft touch — a master sergeant's rating on a headquarters operations staff.

He had the reputation of eating young "shavetails" for breakfast, and every man in the unit was fond of this sawed-off, gray-haired little man with the salty voice and laugh manner.

He was a good poker player, and after 27 years of selective conscription with the Purple Heart won the pay of enough buck private so that he and his wife could afford more than "C" rations any time he wanted to hang up his uniform.

But although his health was poor, Shorty had no wish to get out of the army. He was only five-foot-four, but he was all soldier.

When he learned his outfit was going overseas, Shorty had to fight a personal campaign to go along with the Purple Heart. He won, and his friends didn't think his health would stand up under the strain of field duty.

"He had 11 things wrong with him — from varicose veins to arthritis," said Lt. Edward Saxon of Los Angeles. "But he wasn't looking for a way out."

Shorty hated the Germans. He hated them in the last war, too, and would strap fighting them in three world wars fighting them in France. He waved those wound stripes to clinch his point — that

## Truman Asks 725 Million for Air Expansion

Washington, April 8 — (AP)—President Truman asked Congress today for an immediate appropriation of \$725,000,000 for expansion of the air forces.

The House Appropriations Committee, to which the president's request was directed, called a special meeting for this afternoon to consider the request. It plans to report to the House next week a bill carrying the new funds.

The additional money is for use during the fiscal year starting July 1.

The president last week notified Congress that such a request would be forthcoming. It is part of an additional \$3,000,000,000 to be sought for overall defense purposes for the next fiscal year.

Of the \$725,000,000 requested, \$195,000,000 would be in cash and \$530,000,000 in contract authorizations for which cash must be furnished later.

The air forces would receive \$125,000,000 and the Naval Bureau of Aeronautics \$215,000,000 of the new contract authority.

All of the funds were earmarked for airplane construction and procurement.

The extra \$3,000,000,000 asked by Mr. Truman for defense purposes for his new fiscal year would boost the total defense outlay for the year to \$14,000,000,000. The president's original budget in January called for \$11,000,000,000.

Secretary of Defense Forrestal is scheduled to open the committee's afternoon hearings behind closed doors.

The bigger-and-better air force drive temporarily has shunted aside plans for universal military training.

The aerial expansion program moved forward in both House and Senate as lawmakers sought to balance military and money demands and yet provide the speediest and most effective national defense.

These were the developments:

1. The House Appropriations Committee hauled \$775,000,000 air force bill onto the legislative runway with assurance from Chairman Taber (R-NY) of a fast take-off. Taber assigned to priority to this bill the \$2,000,000,000 asked by President Truman to augment the \$11,000,000,000 already budgeted for defense. The extra air force funds are for aircraft purchases, research, and development.

2. The House (R-Mary) announced his armed services subcommittee would begin hearings on legislation to expand the air force from 55 to 70 combat groups.

3. The Senate Armed Services Committee weighed a "formal request" by Secretary for Air ymington for a 70-group air force.

## 562,000 Coal Workers Out on Strike

Pittsburgh, April 8 — (AP)—A state-by-state check today revealed at least 562,000 workers were idle in the 25-day old soft coal walkout. The bulk of these were members of John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers — 400,000 in the soft coal fields demanding \$100 a month pensions and nearly 25,000 eastern Pennsylvania anthracite miners who walked out this week in sympathy.

The other 137,000 were in related industries crippled by the continually increasing coal shortage. At least 70,000 railroaders were furthered together with 45,000 steel workers.

Iron age estimated that by the end of this week the coal walkout will have caused the loss of 600,000 tons of steel.

Pennsylvania had the largest number idle in related industries—about 25,000 not including the anthracite workers. Bethlehem Steel Corp. took 22,500 workers laid off at its Bethlehem and Johnstown plants.

Slightly increased employment was noted in the hard coal fields today in the Scranton and Wilkes-Barre areas of Pennsylvania. All mines near Scranton were operating and 40 per cent of those at nearby Avondale. Both sections had been idle two days. But other anthracite pits remain closed.

Other states in which coal caused idleness ran 1,000 or more were New York 4,150, Indiana 3,700, Kentucky 3,500, Massachusetts 2,100, Utah 1,800, Michigan 1,500, and Tennessee 1,000.

There was a sprinkling of layoffs also in Colorado, Missouri and Wyoming, and several states with coal carrying railroads.

Every day brought new cutbacks in the steel industry.

## Mercury Hits New High of 90 Degrees

Yesterday was the hottest of the year according to Experiment Station records with the mercury hitting 90 degrees. Low for the 48-hour period was 63 degrees.

Birthday Treat

Leather shoes are so greatly prized among the poorer classes of China that they are worn only once a year, on the owner's birthday anniversary.

## Bulletin

Washington, April 8 — (AP)—The White House today directed War Assets Administration to hold up final disposition of all unsold industrial plants, machine tools and production equipment in these plants.

## Magazine Hints Molotov May Be Ousted

London, April 8 — (AP)—News Review, a weekly magazine, says the ouster of V. M. Molotov as Russian foreign minister "may shortly have to be considered as a possibility." There was no confirmation of this report in other quarters today.

Some students of Russian politics classify Molotov as the No. 1 candidate for Prime Minister Stalin's job when Stalin dies.

## Twister Causes Some Damage in Arkansas

By The Associated Press

Arkansas had a little of everything in the way of weather except low temperatures yesterday. There were tornado, severe wind and hail storm, electrical storms, rain and unusually high April temperatures.

The twister struck near Pine Lake camp, 15 miles south of Little Rock last night, wrecking six houses and stripping trees and telephone lines over Highway 107. No one was reported injured. The highway later was cleared by state police and a state highway department crew.

Wind and hail damaged several homes and other buildings, including a school, churches and the American Legion hall at Glenwood in Pike county.

Little Rock had an electrical storm and a brief downpour early in the night to bring some relief from sweltering temperatures which prevailed during the day.

A maximum of 88 degrees was recorded at the capital city, but it was hotter elsewhere. Fort Smith had a high of 91 degrees. The mercury reached 90 at Texarkana.

Somewhat cooler weather was forecast for the state today.

Chicago, April 8 — (UP)—Residents in northern Illinois and Indiana today began clearing away rubble left by tornadoes which ripped through several communities and killed at least three persons.

Scores of other persons were injured.

Two persons were killed at Grand Park, Ill., and one at Hebron, Ind.

The dead were identified as: Ralph LeBarge, 14, Grand Park; Fred Engkeling, 55, Grand Park; Clem Bricker, 26, Hebron.

The storm and its wake were in the east central Illinois, then jumped northeastward where it moved in zig-zag course through a tier of Illinois and Indiana counties bordering on Lake Michigan.

Engkeling and his wife were just sitting down to dinner when the storm hit, according to C. H. Kile, Grand Park chief of police. Kile said the force of the storm blew the couple 200 feet outside their home.

Engkeling died instantly. Mrs. Engkeling was rushed to a Kankakee, Ill., hospital where she was reported in serious condition today.

The LeBarge boy, who lived near the Engkelings also was killed when the storm struck the neighborhood.

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## Lewis May Face Unfair Labor Practice Charge

Washington, April 8 — (AP)—Joseph E. Moody, head of the Southern Coal Producers Association, said today he will file a charge of unfair labor practices against John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers.

Lewis already is facing contempt action for ignoring a court order to end the 24-day-old soft coal strike.

That order also directed Lewis and the mine owners to negotiate with the miners' pension plan, which touched off the strike March 15.

Umw officials and operators, including Moody, started the strike yesterday and continued this morning.

But a wrangle developed over Moody's authority as the president of the association to sit in the bargaining conference.

Afterwards Moody told reporters he has asked Attorney John C. Galt to proceed at once with a charge of unfair labor practices against the union and its seven-man negotiating committee.

Galt said he expected to file the charge with the National Labor Relations Board later in the day and ask NLRB General Counsel Robert Denham to seek a court injunction to force the union to recognize Moody as an authorized negotiator.

Lewis was not present during the skirmish with Moody, but his lieutenants said he "might be here" at any time.

Moody told a news conference he thought the union committee was using the argument over his status "to make sure nothing happens at these conferences" in the way of actual negotiations.

The court order for the negotiations said that persons taking part in the past contract conferences, or their successors, should participate.

The Umw is objecting to Moody because the Southern coal Producers Association did not sign the 1947 work agreement with the Umw. It is made up of 14 regional associations and individual companies which did sign the pact.

Other mine operators were backing Moody. Their spokesman, Charles O'Neill, said they would "not stand for" the Umw trying to select the coal operators who are to negotiate with the union.

In the meantime, there was no indication that Lewis intended to call off the dogs at the bargaining table order despite the contempt citation that was slapped against him yesterday.

## Play Cast to Hold Dress Rehearsal

Dress rehearsal for the Junior Class play, "Don't Take My Penny" a three-act comedy, will begin tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

The play will be presented tomorrow (Friday) in two performances, the matinee beginning at 2 o'clock and the evening performance at 8 o'clock.

The scene of the play is laid in the Pringle living room. The action takes place within one day late in June.

The cast is as follows: Sally, a maid with a purpose—Catherine Cox.

Norman Porter, a publicity man—Tony Boyer.

Penny, a pretty little miss—Peggy Pentecost.

Caleb, her absorbed father—Arch Ellington.

Mark, her farm-minded brother—Jimmy Dick Hammons.

Mary, her attractive sister—Betty Murphy.

Lydia, her busy mother—Norma Jean Franks.

Joanna, her loyal girl friend—Emily Jo Wilson.

Kerry, her resourceful friend

## MacArthur Awaits Primary in Nebraska

Tokyo, April 8 —(AP)—General MacArthur indicated tonight he would await the results of the Nebraska primary election next week—at least—before issuing any further statement on his presidential candidacy.

The only comment on the Wisconsin balloting, in which he ran second to Harold E. Stassen, was this brief and unrevealing statement:

"One of the things which have made our country great is that it may thus freely speak their minds and fearlessly record their individual viewpoints. Let us always preserve it that way."

Observers here could detect no hint of a withdrawal in the statement. Its generalization has maintained since he announced his availability for any public duty to the American people. That was March 9.

Nevertheless, today's statement puzzled Tokyo. Some saw in it a measure of disappointment which

is apparent among his headquarters supporters—although politics are not generally discussed.

The Japanese appeared surprised by the results. They conceded the general has lost face.

"His reputation in the United States does not correspond with his reputation here," said one Japanese editor. However, Nipponese newspapers have not yet commented editorially.

There still was no comment from MacArthur regarding the Wisconsin balloting. He has said nothing about the presidential campaign since his announcement of availability.

The general's self-appointed Japanese drum beater—poet-contrator Toshiyo Oda—seemed undaunted.

"The idea that they thought MacArthur would win through to Americans," said Oda, he added that he would try to go to the United States himself to plead the general's cause.

## More Merchant Ships Sought by Truman

Washington, April 8—(AP)—Secretary of the Navy Sullivan said today President Truman will ask Congress to more than double appropriations for merchant ships to help meet a shortage of vessels essential to national security.

Sullivan told the House Merchant Marine committee the most severe shortages are passenger liners and tankers which could be converted to military service.

He said Mr. Truman shortly will send to Congress an increase in the original budget for merchant shipbuilding for the year beginning July 1. Mr. Truman originally asked for \$39,500,000, of which \$10,000,000 would be for improving existing ships and \$29,500,000 for new construction. Now, Sullivan said, the president proposes a total of \$100,000,000 (M) with \$30,000,000 (M) for new construction.

The committee is considering future American Merchant Marine policy. Nothing has developed since the war to indicate that our military forces will have any lesser need for the aid of merchant ships in any emergency which our generation may be called upon to face," Sullivan testified.

Until world affairs become better stabilized, Sullivan said, any policy relating to the Merchant Marine "must be based primarily on the improvement of that asset as a component of national security."

In another emergency of the size of World War II, he said, the nation would have only about half the troop carrying capacity required. He said ships are available with a total capacity of 100,000 men. Conversion, he said, could increase the capacity to 260,000.

The vast majority of deaths from tuberculosis among white, male Americans are among men aged 35 to 64.

## What To Do For That Sluggish, Down-and-Out Feeling

Remember the time when you could eat like a horse, bubbled over with energy, felt happy as a lark? Was it not because you liked to eat? Didn't you know what digestion was, felt strong as an ox? As you advance the "old stomach" and the ever-changing blood, you need help. Now you may again release vibrant energy to every muscle, fibre, cell.

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red blood cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: "no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease."

To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities, by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that SSS Tonic is amazingly effective in building up low blood strength. In non-organic nutritional anemia, this is due to the SSS Tonic formula which contains special and potent activating ingredients.

Also, SSS Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juices when it is non-organically too little or scanty—thus the stomach will have little cause to get sick with gas, bloating and give off that sour food taste.

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## FARMER'S FORUM

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# Market Report

Hope Star

## POULTRY AND PRODUCE

Chicago, April 8 —(AP)—Live poultry receipts weak, balance steady; receipts 20 trucks; prices unchanged except fowl two cents a pound lower at 35 FOW and leghorn fowl one cent lower at 25.

Butter unsettled; receipts 430, 204; prices unchanged to a cent a pound lower; 35 score 82.5; 82 A 82; 80 B 80.5; 89 C 79.5 cars; 90 B 81 89 C 80.

Eggs steady; receipts 30,743; prices unchanged.

## ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

National Stockyards, Ill., April 8—(AP)—Hogs, 10,000; uneven weights 150 lbs. 50-70 lower than Wednesday's average; lighter weights steady to 25 lower; bulk good and choice 170-240 lbs 21.25-22.00; top 22.25 sparingly; 200-270 lbs 19.75-21.25; 70-100 lbs 18.25-19.75; 100-150 lbs 18.00-21.00; few 21.25; 100-120 lbs 14.00-18.25; largely 17.75 down good 25.0450 lb sows 17.50-18.25; few 18.50; over 450 lbs 17.00-75; stags 13.00-15.00.

Calves, 1,000; calves for good active and strong on all classes with weaners 1.00 higher odd lots good steers to 26.10; good heifers and mixed yearlings 20.0-27.25; few high good 27.50-75 with choice heifers 28.75; good cows around 22.00; 23.00; common and medium 18.00-21.00; canners and cutters largely 14.00-17.00; medium and good sausage bulls 21.00-22.50; odd head beef bulls 23.00; good and choice vealers 24.00-30.00; common and medium 15.00-23.00.

Sheep, 600; hardly enough stock to accurately test market; few good and choice woolled lambs 24.00; low merely good Texas lambs 23.00.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, April 8—(AP)—An active trade sent grains up for good advances on the board of trade today. The May contracts led the upturn, but deferred months also were strong. The market's trend was steadily higher throughout the session.

Wheat was aided by a pessimistic private crop forecast for Kansas, overnight sales of flour to foreign countries, a hike of 1 1/2 cents a bushel in the price of wheat, and government will pay or cash wheat, and purchases of more than a million bushels of wheat by the government yesterday.

Wheat closed 1 1/4 3-4 higher, May 34.40-34.49 1-4, corn was 3-5 1-4 higher, May 32.25-32.26 1-4, oats were 3-8 1-58 higher, May 31.14 3-4-7-8, and soybeans were 8 cents higher, May 33.91.

Cash wheat moved higher with trading in futures today; local trading; shipping sales 5,000 bushels; receipts 10 cars. Corn was one to two cents higher; basis one to three cents lower; bookings 15,000 bushels; shipping sales 5,000 bushels; receipts 14 cars. Soybeans were one to two cents higher; basis unchanged; shipping sales 5,000 bushels; receipts 14 cars. Soybeans receipts were three cars.

## NEW YORK COTTON

New York, April 8—(AP)—Cotton futures advanced into new seasonal high ground in active dealings today. There was a good deal of mill covering in the old crop deliveries. Influenced partly by sales of cotton textiles this week.

Trading was active, reflecting stable market of cotton at the ten primary markets. Cotton extended to better than \$1 before the market reacted partially on profit taking.

A heavy covering movement in the near future of trading lifted prices to the best levels for the day, with gains of better than \$2.50 a bale.

Futures closed 70 cents to \$2.40 a bale higher than the previous close.

May high 36.72 — low 36.23 — last 36.68-67 up 47-48

Jly high 36.00 — low 35.55 — last 35.88 up 37

Oct high 32.04 — low 32.37 — last 32.56-59 up 16-19

Dec high 31.90 — low 31.64 — last 31.84 up 14

Mar high 31.72 — low 31.44 — last 31.65N up 13

May high 31.90 — low 31.10 — last 31.36-39 up 19-22

Middling spot 37.67N up 47

N-nominal.

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Irregularity ruled until past midday when prices hardened in most departments. While many pivots exhibited indifference, gains of fractions to a point or so predominated at the close.

Volume for the full session was in the vicinity of 1,000,000 shares.

A few aircraft pushed forward on expectations of large-scale military orders. Bids did little response to the move for increased passenger fares. Airlines reflected only mildly the boost in mail rates.

Montgomery Ward, U. S. Smelt, Nickel Plate Railroad and Erie Railroad went into new high territory for the year. Ahead most of the time were Boeing, Douglas Aircraft, U. S. Steel, Youngstown Sheet, General Motors, Cheney, American Tobacco, International Paper, Barber, Asphalt, Amerasia Petroleum, Western Maryland Railway, Mission Corp., Standard Oil (NJ) and Eastern Air Lines.

Bonds showed a narrow groove.

Tasteless "Banana"

The "pisang-suribu," or "khing banana," tree has its fruit growing directly from the trunk. The larger the tree, the larger the bunch of bananas. The fruit of this native Malay Peninsula tree, however, is tasteless and is not eaten by the natives.

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## Here and There in Arkansas

Helena, April 8—(AP)—The First Baptist church of Helena will give way to a filling station.

The congregation of the church, located in the heart of the business section, voted last night to sell the building and ground to the Lion Oil Company.

The church will continue to occupy the building until a new church can be erected on a near-by site the church has owned for 25 years.

Fayetteville, April 8—(AP)—The University of Arkansas' dean of students, Dr. John P. Anderson has announced he will return to Hendrix college as a professor of psychology at the end of the present semester.

He has been dean of students and a psychology instructor at the university since June, 1946, before which he was a member of Hendrix faculty at Conway.

Waco, Tex., April 8—(AP)—Arkansas Razorbacks will open their Southwestern Conference golf campaign against the Baylor Bears here today.

The Razorbacks will go to Austin tomorrow for a meet with the University of Texas.

Making up the four-man Arkansas team are Richard (Bubba) Smart, Pine Bluff; Herman Styles and Warner Mark, both of Little Rock, and James (Luile) Moseley, Fort Smith.

Carway, April 8 —(AP)—Arraigned in a heavily-guarded justice-of-peace court, four men and a woman have been bound over to circuit court on charges growing out of the roadside slaying of Fred Holder, Carway farmer.

The live waived preliminary hearing yesterday as 16 officers, including six state policemen, stood guard with machineguns, rifles and tear gas. The defendants were ordered held without bond.

The defendants are Gerald Lafon Ainsworth, 21, Leachville, charged with first degree murder; Floyd E. M. Blocker and Mrs. Elberta Rice, charged as accessories before the fact of murder; Basil Elkins and Harold George, charged as accessories after the fact of murder.

Holder, 63, was found dying beside his partly burned out truck near his home the night of March 31.

Chief Deputy Sheriff C. D. Wilson said Ainsworth admitted shooting and beating Holder when the latter resisted a holdup attempt.

Little Rock, April 8—(AP)—Arkansas hatcheries and dealers placed 423,000 broiler chicks with producers in the northwest portion of the state last week, the USDA Crop Reporting Service and the University of Arkansas Bureau of Research said today.

Little Rock, April 8—(AP)—The Arkansas National Guard's annual encampment will be at Camp Robinson Aug. 15-20.

This was announced by the state military department, which also set June 14-28 for the encampment of the guard's 15th fighter squadron, at Adams field here.

Hot Springs, April 8 —(AP)—Milton Creighton, chairman of an organization advocating "controlled" commercial gambling at Hot Springs, has announced his candidacy for Garland county sheriff.

He will oppose Sheriff I. G. Brown.

Creighton is head of the Hot Springs Progressive Businessmen's Association, which describes itself as a "liberal" organization. He is a former University of Arkansas and professional football player and Hot Springs high school coach.

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# Social and Personal

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## Social Calendar

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The Business and Professional Women's Club will meet Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the Bar-Hotel, 1015 N. Main St. and Mrs. Annie Sue Andrews will be the hostesses. Guest speakers will be Lyle Brown and James P. Johnson.

**April 12**  
The Alpha Zeta Chapter of the Eta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet Friday evening at the Hope City hall for their regular monthly business meeting. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. and all members are urged to be present.

**April 12**  
The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist church will meet Friday night, at seven-thirty at the home of Mrs. W. N. Blake, 214 West 7th Street.

**April 13**  
The Iris Garden Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. A. Albright at 2 o'clock. The hostesses are Mrs. O. J. Jones and Mrs. Owen Nix. The program on "Iris".

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The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. H. A. Fisk, teacher of the class. Mrs. John A. H. vice-president, called the meeting to order and presided over the business session.

**April 13**  
The afternoon was spent in discussing many projects and phases of the Sunday School work. During the social hour, the hostesses served a delicious sandwich and dessert plate to nine members and five guests. Mrs. Burroughs and daughter, Patricia, Mrs. G. H. Harrington and sister.

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The local VFW Ladies Auxiliary will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. W. Morrow at 2 o'clock. The hostesses are Mrs. O. J. Jones and Mrs. Owen Nix. The program on "Iris".

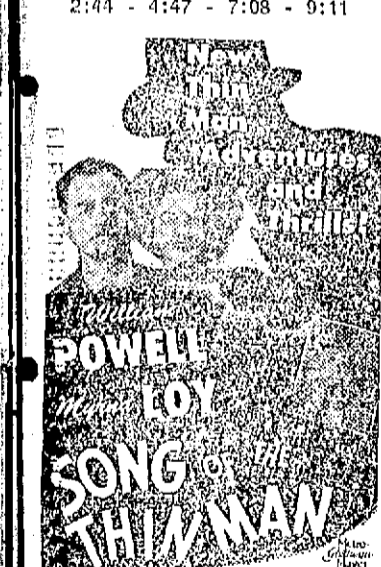
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The banquet table was centered with a beautiful bowl of Dutch Iris and Spring flowers. The table was decorated with the lovely of the table. Mrs. Harlowe Miller, auxiliary bagpin gave the invocation. Mrs. Mary Keck introduced Mrs. Barr and Mrs. Butterworth, the honorees.

**April 13**  
The guests were presented to the two honored guests, outgoing president, Mrs. Ruth Fenwick, new president, Della Yocom and Mrs. Keck, District 10 president.

**April 13**  
The Spring Hill P.T.A. met Monday night, April 5 for the last meeting of the term. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Lester Brown. Mr. Huck gave the devotional followed

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## Truman Advised to Proceed With Caution

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The Commerce Department, the treasury and the president's council of economic advisers are watching closely for signs that the Foreign aid program and new defense spending will push prices higher and aggravate shortages of such crucial materials as steel.

But so far they have not recommended that the president ask for more control over prices, wages and materials than he did in his special message last November.

At that time he asked for only standby power and said controls would be imposed on a selective basis. Congress so far has shown no disposition to enact even such a limited program.

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## Rules Order No Excuse for Crime

Nuernberg, April 8—(UP)—An American war crimes court trying 22 Nazi elite guard officers held today that an order by an army officer is no excuse for a soldier committing a crime.

Judge Michael S. Musmanno of Pittsburgh ruled that "it is a fallacy of widespread consumption that a soldier is required to do everything his superior officer orders him to do."

Many a law struck at the heart of the court.

## The Innocent Impostor

By Renee Shann

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THE STORY: Patience Mond goes to London three times a week to attend dressmaking school. It is the only freedom allowed her by the two old-fashioned aunts who have brought her up and with whom she lives in the country.

On the commuting train she meets Paul Taylor, who lives in a neighboring village and who finds himself attracted to the prim young girl. They date secretly, fall in love.

The aunts find out, force Patience to promise not to see him again. Paul wants her to tell them she's going to marry him. But Patience can't do it. They quarrel. Sometime later on the train from London, Patience sees Paul with a flashy blonde. Returning home heartbroken, she finds her aunts in a state of great excitement. They have a visitor. It is Charlotte, the long-lost twin sister whom Patience has not seen since they were children.

Patience gasped. It couldn't be possible. Charlotte! How often during the years she'd been living with her aunts had she thought how wonderful it would be to have news of her!

"Hello, Patience," said Charlotte. And now the other girl put her arms round her and kissed her. "Gosh, but isn't all this terribly exciting!"

She had a soft, musical voice with a trace of an American accent. She was warm and glowing and affectionate.

"You two must have so much to talk about," said Miss Alice. "Patience dear, would you like to take Charlotte for a little walk before supper?"

"Yes, of course. You're staying aren't you, Charlotte?"

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## DOROTHY DIX Women Love Sympathy

One of the most inexplicable of all female characteristics is that which practically all women have a morbid craving for sympathy.

No matter if they possess all the good things of life and if there isn't even a crumpled rose leaf under their 40 mattresses of ease, they still want to be pitied. And that is a strange desire, since pity always carries with it condescension and patronage. In reality, there is nothing harder to endure than to have people sorry for us, but nonetheless there are women who can resist the temptation to be wept over and "poor Maryed."

Of course, women have cheered up a lot since they have more interest in life than they used to have. Our maidens now don't pine away and die of a green and yellow melancholy when their boy friend melts them. Nor do they make a

## The Doctor Says:

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.  
Written for NEA Service

Healthy people ought to use their muscles if they want to treat their bodies in the way intended by nature. The circulation of the blood, the digestion and bowel elimination work better and probably all of the other various functions of the human tissues and organs behave better if some physical exercise is taken.

Although many people who confine their exercise to a minimum seem to feel pretty well for a long time, they generally do not have that feeling of glowing health that comes to a person who keeps fit by suitable physical exertion.

Eventually, lack of physical exercise catches up with them by disturbing digestion or other functions in ways which they do not expect.

The exercise which a person takes ought to be carefully adjusted to one's ability to take it. Most people have to build up gradually from a sedentary or quiet life to one in which they can take more rugged exercise without exhausting themselves.

Getting Adjusted  
For physical exercise to produce its greatest good and pleasure, it must be adjusted to individual capabilities and to the age and sex. No two persons react exactly alike to exercise. Some have to be particularly careful about doing too much because of some physical defect, such as a weak heart.

Also, some kinds of physical exercise which are perfectly all right for men may bring about harmful effects in women. More important still is the age. Many young men, for example, at 20 or 25 can run a mile without harm, if they tried to do this at 40 the results probably would be disastrous.

It takes quite a long time for the muscle tone and other functions of the body to be built up. This makes it necessary for exercises to be started gradually and increased slowly until proper adjustment is made.

QUESTION: What causes kidneys to turn alkaline?  
ANSWER: Kidneys do not turn alkaline, but the urine can become alkaline rather than acid as it usually is. This is frequently a result of diet and not a sign of disease.

one of the key defenses of most of the Nazis tried by war crimes courts. For the most part they insisted they were merely carrying out orders of their superiors.

The defendants in the case were 22 SS officers who carried out the Nazi campaign of extermination of persons regarded by the Nazis as "racially undesirable." Maj. Gen. Otto Ohlendorf and his 21 co-defendants were accused of murdering 1,000,000 persons under the Nazi terror rule.

The court held that the obedience of a soldier was not the obedience of an automaton, and that a soldier is a "reasoning agent," that he does not respond and cannot be expected to respond like a piece of machinery.

"An officer may not demand of a soldier that he commit a crime," Judge Musmanno said. "The soldier is not bound to carry out such an order."

It is best to be applied, he said, is whether the subordinate acted under the coercion or whether he himself approved the principle involved in the order.

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## Tulsa to Have New Mayor on May 4

Tulsa, Okla., April 7—(AP)—Tulsa will have a new Democratic mayor on May 4—largely because of a reckless driving dispute at police headquarters two months ago.

his drivers was arrested and police refused Lundy's personal check for \$100 bond. A few days later the pioneer lumberman filed for mayor.

Last night he beat republican Mayor Lee Price 17,735 votes to 15,372 in one of the city's bitterest elections. All but two Republicans were swept from other offices.

Main issue of the campaign was a \$30,000,000 cross-town expressway Lundy promised to kill 30 minutes after taking office.

## Approval of Red-Finn Pack Seen

Helsinki, Finland, April 7—(AP)—Helsinki political sources today predicted swift ratification of the new Soviet-Finnish mutual aid treaty.

They expressed the opinion parliament might give its approval by the end of next week. The new treaty was signed last night in Moscow.

President Juho K. Paasikivi is expected to put all his personal prestige behind a drive for smooth conclusion of the pact, which most Finns regard as a good deal; they got concessions from the Russians and they kept their politics independent.

In Moscow, the Finnish delegate who negotiated the treaty during the last two weeks, prepared for their final official duties and for a round of toasts and speeches at a gala dinner given by Prime minister.

## Cuba Trying to Build Up Frog Business

CUBA TRIES

Washington, April 7—(AP)—Cuba, famous as the home of rum and rumba, now wants to build up exports of another product with a kick—frogs.

But there's one difficulty. Tobacco prices are too high.

Cuba shipped out 302,400 pounds of frogs legs in 1945.

Now, however, the U. S. fish and Wildlife Service reports Cubans are making such good wages in the tobacco industry that few of them are willing to go chasing frogs.

According to a pamphlet written by Joseph L. Martinez of Havana, Col. Charles Hernandez brought several pairs of Yankee croakers to the island in 1915. Their descendants have (A) become known in Cuba as "Charles frogs" and (B) jumped into the big-money class. The 1945 exports were worth \$100,000.

But Martinez observes that Cubans aren't too hopped up over eating "Charles frog" legs themselves.

"In the large cities of Cuba," he says, "frog meat is eaten principally by foreigners. Domestic consumption is negligible."

Except among the frogs, "When food is scarce," comments Martinez, "they resort to cannibalism."

Orange is the color most likely to attract attention, color experts say.

ter Stalin tonight.

Stalin personally proposed the treaty in a letter to Paasikivi on Feb. 22.

A majority of parliament is needed for ratification. There are 200 members, divided as follows:

51 Popular Democrats (Communists and pro-Moscow Social Democrats), 48 Social Democrats, 43 Agrarians, 29 Conservatives, 15 Swedish party and nine liberals.

The first three parties comprise the government bloc.

The opening clause of the new treaty spells out Finland's territorial independence of other countries becomes the object of aggression. It says that if either is attacked by Germany or another state allied with her Finland will fight. But it specifies that Finnish forces will stay within Finland's territorial boundaries. No other nation was named in the aggression clause.

The treaty also states that Russia can send troops into Finland in case of aggression only by mutual agreement. This pleasing many Finns regarded as a real concession. They pointed out that in past Russia signed with Rumania or Hungary there is no such provision.

In the treaty Russia also agreed not to interfere in Finland's internal affairs.

## Here and There in Arkansas

Little Rock, April 7—(AP)—Chief Justice Griffin Smith of the Arkansas Supreme Court believes "the exercise of political power in favor of criminals is too prevalent in Arkansas and other states."

"As a result," he told the annual conference of the Arkansas Probation Officers here yesterday, "there is a feeling among criminals that they can escape punishment, that they can procure probation, that their sentences will be commuted."

The chief justice said he did not believe "there has been one man in the state (of Arkansas) who has

been sentenced to life imprisonment who has served that sentence." xx

"So long as the public knows that this situation prevails, and so long as the criminal depends on it, just as long will there continue to be political manipulations."

Washington, April 7—(AP)—The Arkansas-Mississippi River bridge commission's membership would be increased from six to 13 under a bill approved by a House public works subcommittee.

The commission will plan construction of a bridge over the Mississippi river between Helena Ark. and Friar's point, Miss.

Rep. Gathings, who introduced the bill, said a larger commission

would represent all highways in the area and would create more interest in the bridge to be financed by a bond issue.

Washington, April 7—(AP)—Claim of an Arkansas man that he invented a packing box widely used by army ordnance plants in World War Two is recognized in a bill passed by the House and sent to the Senate.

Fred E. Gross of Lonoke says he invented the box that it was first used at the Arkansas ordnance plant for packing bomb fuses and that he obtained a patent on it.

The bill, introduced by Rep. Norrell of Arkansas, would give Gross a valid claim against the government for 2 1/2 per cent of

whatever the court of claims finds the government saved in manpower, materials, time, etc., in using the box.

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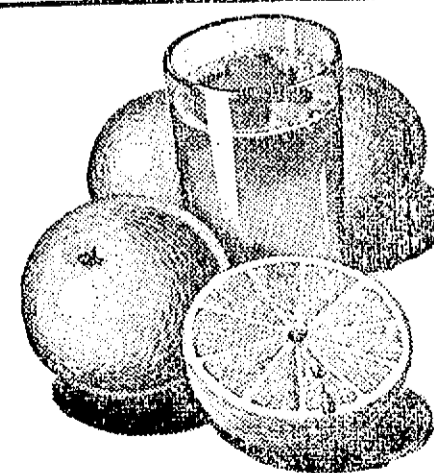
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### Newspapermen Forfeit Bonds for Drunkenness

Manchester, Ga., April 6 —(AP)—The bonds of three Columbus newspapermen were forfeited late yesterday when they failed to make their appearance in court. The trio had been charged with drunkenness.

One three—photographer Joe Taubel and reporters Carlton Johnson and Kline Bellows—were arrested after covering a Ku Klux Klan meeting at nearby Shuon, Ga., March 12.

They charged they had been manhandled by Klansmen, given hypodermic shots, and each forced to drink a pint of whiskey.

Their bond of \$5.00 each was forfeited when they failed to appear at the 5 p. m. hearing.

None of the three would discuss the case yesterday. M. R. Ashworth, publisher of the Ledger-Examiner in Columbus, also declined to comment.

### HOT FLASHES?

Are you getting thru the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women (35-45 yrs.)? Does this make you suffer from hot flashes, feel so nervous, high-strung, tired? Then do try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. Pinkham's Compound also has what doctors call a stomachic tonic effect!

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## U. S. Congress Seems to Have Passed the Marshall Plan at Psychological Moment

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The U. S. Congress would seem to have registered its approval of the Marshall Plan at the psychological moment.

Supporters of this program—which provides aid not only for Western Europe but for Greece, Turkey and China—feared that Congress might not act in time to secure the full beneficial effect on the morale of the countries which are fighting Communist aggression. However, as one surveys this far flung field, it looks on the whole as though approval could have come at a more opportune time.

The sixteen countries involved in the rehabilitation program for Western Europe have been proceeding cautiously—too cautiously in some instances—because they lacked absolute assurance that the program would be approved by Congress. They didn't want to commit themselves to a project which had evoked Russia's bitter hostility, and then find themselves out on a limb. That worry is now over, and courage to act Moscow will be stifled.

As concerns Western Europe, the greatest anxiety has revolved about the critical position of Italy with the approach of the national election. There the powerful Italian Communist party, backed by Moscow, is going all out to gain control

of the government, and is employing strong-arm methods. Should the Reds succeed, Russia would have secured a prime strategic base from which to press its drive to Communize all Western Europe.

Adoption of the Marshall Plan by Congress gives the harrassed Italian government the badly needed assurance that America is standing with Western Europe. It encourages the Italian anti-Reds to give full support to their government.

Had Congress not approved the Marshall Plan before the elections, which are set for April 10, it most certainly would have given the Communists an additional propaganda weapon to use against the government. As things are, the approval would seem to have come at a most opportune moment, neither too soon nor too late. It will strengthen the hand of the Italian government, though whether it will be enough to win the day remains to be seen.

So goes the story as we examine the various zones affected. All of them have needed not only the material aid but the flip in morale which comes from getting that aid and knowing that America stands with them.

The Marshall Plan can forge another link between the United States and the Eastern hemisphere—both Europe and Asia. Like it or not, America is committed to participation in global affairs.

### U. S. Making Secret Atom Bomb Tests

Honolulu, April 7 —(AP)—A top level American scientist-military team is evidently conducting a secret series of major atomic weapon tests at isolated, guarded Eniwetok atoll.

The first of these tests, to chart wartime uses of atomic fission, probably already has been conducted.

The tests are not the grandstand show of the 1946 Bikini experiments. Then hundreds of newspapermen, scientists, military observers and diplomats from many countries watched and told the world what they saw.

At the current tests, the only witnesses are a few experts from the United States. The experiments are military in purpose, to show how the U. S. armed forces may use atomic energy in war. The U. S. Atomic Energy Commission has warned everyone but a few well-screened experts to keep away.

There is no indication here that anyone is expected to return soon from Eniwetok. This supports the belief that a series of several tests is under way.

It seems evident to careful observers that at least two types of tests were planned. The first, presumably, would be the use of atomic warheads on guided missiles, on short range flights; the second, atomic bombs dropped from the air.

Rear Adm. William S. Parsons, a deputy commander in the operation, was quoted in a newspaper interview here as saying that instruments instead of guinea pig ships would be used to record the results.

Some of the best engineers available at Eniwetok. The island commander is Brig. Gen. David A. D. Ogden, one of the army's crack engineers.

### Municipal Elections Mostly Routine

By The Associated Press

Arkansas municipal elections Tuesday were routine for the most part, but the exceptions were notable ones.

Referendums and hotly-contested elections which were more than mere formalities of electing candidates previously nominated in Democratic primaries.

A proposal for installation of parking meters in downtown Little Rock was defeated. But Blytheville voters approved meters for their business district and also voted for an annexation expected to boost the city's population from 14,000 to 17,500.

At Fayetteville, proposals for policemen's pensions and street identification signs were beaten.

A race for office which attracted wide interest was that for municipal judge at Hot Springs. Fred B. Johnson, supported by the recently formed Liberal Progressive Businessmen's Association, defeated incumbent James Long for municipal judge, 3,105 to 1,917.

Gov. Orval Faubus, apparently last year to serve for the resigned Verne Ledgerwood until the city election. Long and Johnson were battling to see which would serve the remaining year of Ledgerwood's unexpired term.

Other cities with races for major offices included Stuttgart, DeQueen, Augusta, Arkadelphia and Paragould.

The major election results by cities included:

Stuttgart—Municipal Judge M. F. Elms was re-elected, defeating Milton Robinson by a narrow 405-to-400 margin. Mrs. Lola C. Cole, incumbent, defeated Mrs. Herman Wagoner in the race for city clerk.

DeQueen—James T. Manning defeated incumbent L. D. McCown and two others for mayor. Winfred Lake was elected city attorney over Gordon Hamilton. Carl Hubbard was elected city recorder, and Dee Shillito, marshal. In an unusual twist, three candidates, W. M. Bunch, A. C. Smalley Sr., and Dean Newberry tied for the two aldermanic positions in the third ward. Each received 61 votes. Selection of two of them will await official check of returns.

Earle — O. B. Cox defeated incumbent Robert Morris for marshal.

Augusta — E. T. Ramsey, former Woodruff county sheriff, was elected mayor, defeating W. E. Mallin, the incumbent.

Arkadelphia — A. T. Goodloe, who formerly held the office, ousted Mayor H. G. Elms.

Paragould—Horace Whitsett defeated Lee Ward for city attorney. Newport—Annexation of approximately 600 acres to the city was approved.

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The all-day ceremonies were attended by visitors from all sections of the state.

George C. Mahle, president of the American Butter Institute, was a speaker on the morning program, declaring "what Arkansas' makes makes Arkansas."

Mahle recommended an expanded dairy program in Arkansas, would help build the state. Twenty blooded bulls already are installed at the area.

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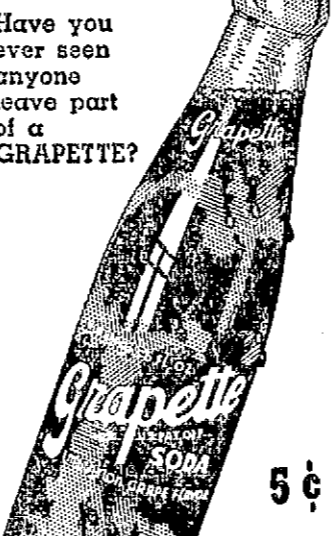
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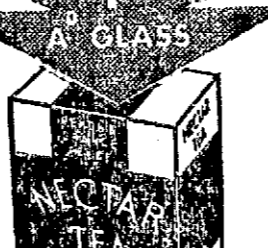
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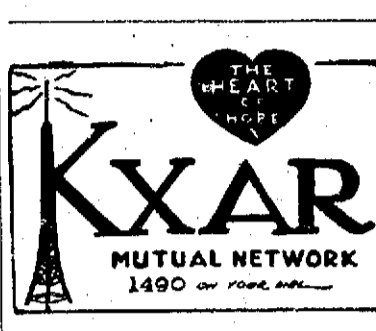
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FRED A. LUCK  
For Circuit Clerk  
JOHN L. WILSON, JR.  
(MISS) OMERA EVANS  
For Tax Assessor  
CHARLES MALONE  
GARRITT WILLIS  
JOHN STRICKLAND  
JOHN GORDON PRESCOTT  
CECIL E. WEAVER



Thursday p.m., April 8  
5:05 Adventure Parade—M  
5:15 Superman—M  
5:30 Capt. Midnight—M  
5:45 Tom Mix—M  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—M  
6:15 News, 5-Star Final  
6:25 Today in Sports  
6:35 Newsweek—M  
6:45 Dinner For Two  
7:00 Revere All-Star Revue—M  
7:15 Background for Stardom—M  
7:30 Great Talent Hunt—M  
7:55 Billy Rose—M  
8:00 Gabriel Heatter—M  
8:05 Mutual Newsrel  
8:30 RFD America—M  
9:00 Family Theatre—M  
9:30 Louis Prima's Orch.—M  
10:00 News, Final Edition  
10:10 Sportingly Yours  
10:15 Songs by Monty Downey—M  
10:30 Ted Coleman's Orch.—M  
11:00 Mutual Reports the News  
11:55 Sign-Off

Friday a.m., April 9  
5:57 Sign On  
6:00 Hillbilly Hoedown  
6:25 Bargain Round-Up  
6:30 News, First Edition  
6:40 The Four Knights  
6:55 Market Report  
7:00 Farm Breakfast Program  
7:15 Happy Holiday Farm  
7:30 Devotional Hour  
7:45 Musical Clock  
7:55 News, Coffee Cup Edition  
8:00 Sunrise Serenade  
8:30 Ozark Valley Folks—M  
8:55 According to the Record  
9:00 Cecil Brown, News—M  
9:15 Faith in Our Time—M  
9:30 Say It With Music—M  
10:00 Passing Parade—M  
10:15 Tell Your Neighbor—M  
10:30 Heart's Desire—M  
11:00 Kate Smith Speaks—M  
11:15 Victor H. Lindlahr—M  
11:30 Campus Salute—M

Friday p.m., April 9  
12:00 News, Home Edition  
12:10 Song of the Day  
12:15 Market Time  
12:20 Musical Fill  
12:25 Lost & Found Column  
12:30 Bill Boyd's Rhythm Drifters  
12:45 Farm Fair  
12:55 News, Street Edition  
1:00 Queen for a Day—M  
1:30 Martin Block Show—M  
2:30 Red Hook-31—M  
2:45 Student Parade  
3:00 Robert Hurligh—M  
3:15 The Johnson Family—M  
3:30 Meet the Band  
3:45 Two-Ton Baker—M  
4:00 Swing Time  
4:45 The Constant Invader  
5:00 Adventure Parade—M  
5:15 Superman—M  
5:30 Capt. Midnight—M  
5:45 Tom Mix—M  
6:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—M  
6:15 News, 5-Star Final  
6:25 Today in Sports  
6:30 Henry J. Taylor—M  
6:45 Dinner for Two  
7:00 Concert Hall  
7:30 Leave It to the Girls—M  
7:55 KXAR Spotlight  
8:00 Gabriel Heatter—M  
8:15 Mutual Newsrel  
8:30 Information Please—M  
9:00 Meet the Press—M  
9:30 Love Letters & Love Song  
9:45 Dating on a Cloud  
10:00 News, Final Edition  
10:10 Sportingly Yours  
10:15 Bernie Cummings' Orch.—M  
10:30 Lawrence Welk's Orch.—M  
11:00 Mutual Reports the News  
11:55 Sign Off

### Top Radio Programs

By the Associated Press  
Central Standard Time  
Topics tonight (Thursday): NBC—7 Henry Aldrich; 7:30 Burns and Allen; 8:30 Jack Carson; 9 Bob Hawk Quiz; 9:30 Eddie Cantor Show.  
CBS—7 FBI in Peace and War; 8 Dick Haymes Show; 9:30 Crime Photographer; 9:30 First Nighter "The Wayward Wife."  
ABC—6:30 (Midwest 7:30) Henry Morgan; 7:30 Ethelmer Queen (Midwest 7:30); 8 Willie Piper Sit; 9 Child's World (Midwest at 6:30); 9:30 Harry Fleishman in "An Answer to Wallace."  
MBS—7 Andy Russell Revue; 7:30 Jim Backus' Salt Hunt; 8:30 RFD America Quiz; 9 Shirley Temple in Family Theater.

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## Texas Compiles Best Foul Line Record

New York, April 8.—(AP)—Texas, of the Southwest Conference, was the best 1940 major college team from the foul line and Oregon State, of the Pacific Coast conference, was tops in making field goals.

Final statistics from the National Collegiate Athletic Bureau showed today the Texans rimmed 351 of 481 free throws for a .730 percentage. They led in this department the entire season.

Oregon State, regarded as a team which controls the ball well, took 1,818 shots from the field during the season and made 668 for a percentage of .367.

Colorado was sixth among free throw percentage leaders, registering a .604 percentage with 300 completions in 452 attempts.

Kansas State won seventh among field goal percentage leaders with a .339 mark accomplished on 479 shots in 1,414 attempts.

## AAA Expected to Act on Split of Conference

By CARL BELL  
Little Rock, April 8.—(AP)—Action on proposed creation of a Big Six football conference for the state has been expected to take place here tomorrow by the Arkansas Athletic Association.

Indications are that the plan will be approved.

The legislation would revise the present state grid playoff system. Schools with enrollments of 500 or more would be taken out of the Double A classification to form a Triple A division. Double A currently is the highest classification.

The proposed Triple A division has been given the popular name of "Big Six" because only half a dozen schools can qualify for that classification. They are Little Rock, North Little Rock, Fort Smith, Hot Springs, Pine Bluff and El Dorado.

If the proposal is adopted, the Double A group would be made up of the other 14 schools now in that classification. Classes A and B will not be affected.

The Triple A idea was suggested by the six schools whose classification would be raised and the other 14 schools. The plan is designed to equalize competition and shorten the playing season for the Big Six.

The championship of the Big Six would be determined on a percentage basis of games won and lost during the regular season. Under the original plan, the Big Six members would not play beyond the end of the regular season. The Triple A winner would be the champion of that division. Double A teams would stage a postseason playoff to determine the championship of their classification, as would the Class A and B teams—just as in the 1947 season.

But in the 14 teams which could remain in the Double A bracket objected that the best of their class would not have an opportunity to gain the state's highest prep grid title, as they now have. So the legislation was amended to provide for a playoff between the Big Six champion and the winner of the Double A playoff—if both teams agree.

Present Double A schools which would remain in that classification are Subiaco—which was beaten by Little Rock in the finals of last year's play off. Fayetteville, Blytheville, Jonesboro, Hope, Fordyce, Texarkana, Rogers, Springdale, Van Buren, Russellville, Camden and Smackover.

All AAA member schools which have football teams are eligible to vote on the proposal, regardless of classification. The meeting is to begin at 1:30 p. m.

### Veterans Lead Field in Masters Open

Augusta, Ga., April 8.—(AP)—Five veterans led a blue ribbon field in today's opening of the twelfth annual Masters golf tournament.

Two of the leaders have finished first in this stiff and steady competition, one of whom—Jimmy Demaret, is the defending champion. Demaret won this 72-hole event in 1940.

Bracketed with him as today's favorites were the South African star Bobby Locke, Ben Hogan, Lloyd Mangrum, and Byron Nelson.

The 6,800-yard National Country Club course favors the longer hitters because of the sandy fairways, produced by recent rains.

There was little chance for the course to dry. Cloudy weather prevailed during practice preceding the first of four daily rounds of 18 holes. The final round, set for Sunday, Top money in the \$10,000 event is \$2,000.

Nelson who won in 1937 and repeated in 1942, has been playing well. So has Hogan and Locke. All were consistently under par during tuneup rounds.

Mangrum rates a position in the select group as the leading money winner on the winter tour, which ends with this event. He has a tour's best stroke average—69.25—for 43 rounds, and won three of the eleven 72-hole events.

Chick Harbert one of the game's longest hitters, is the only player on the tour to win more than one meet. He triumphed at Jacksonville and Charlotte. His practice performances and the fact that his driving will give him an advantage over the rest of the field of 57, stamps him as a darkhorse.

Morgan; 7:30 Ethelmer Queen (Midwest 7:30); 8 Willie Piper Sit; 9 Child's World (Midwest at 6:30); 9:30 Harry Fleishman in "An Answer to Wallace."  
MBS—7 Andy Russell Revue; 7:30 Jim Backus' Salt Hunt; 8:30 RFD America Quiz; 9 Shirley Temple in Family Theater.

Friday Programs: NBC—9 a. m. Fred Waring back from vacation; 12 noon U. S. Marine Band; CBS—1 Second Mrs. Burton; ABC—8 a. m. Breakfast Club; 11—well-known Travelers; MBS—10:30 a. m. Ben Alexander Program; 12:45 p. m. the Jamboree.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh & Fullerton, Jr.

### Cards, Phils Gain More Strength

Clearwater, Fla., April 8.—(AP)—The Philadelphia Phillies apparently have solved their first base problem and the St. Louis Cardinals obtained promising shortstop insurance in a deal involving Dick Sisler and Ralph Lapointe.

The swap, announced late yesterday, brings Sisler to the Phillies in exchange for Lapointe and an unannounced sum of money believed to be around \$20,000.

Sisler gives the Phils a long-ball hitting left-handed batter who also can play in the outfield. In Lapointe the Cards get a hustling hard-hitting shortstop as a possible replacement for the fragile Marty Marion.

The acquisition of Sisler, son of George Sisler of St. Louis Browns fame, also helps Manager Ben Chapman with the problem of what to do with veterans Bert Haas and Ro Cullenbine.

The Philly manager now can go ahead with plans to station Haas definitely at third base and have Cullenbine available for the outfield. Both Haas and Cullenbine were being considered for first base.

The Phils also have two other first sackers on the roster—Rookie Al Fair and Howard Schultz. Fair probably will be returned to New Orleans. Schultz never has reported.

Sisler came up to the Cards tabbed to play first base when Ray Sanders was sold to the Boston Braves in 1946. He failed as a hitter, however, and was turned into a utility outfielder. Last season he hit .203 in 46 games.

Lapointe gave every promise of developing into a top notch shortstop after the 1946 season with the Phillies' Wilmington, Del., farm club in the Inter-State League.

He opened the 1947 season at short for the Phils but was sent to Baltimore on option when Chapman decided to give Jackie Albritton a try at the position. With Baltimore Lapointe hit .277 in 35 games.

When Albritton broke his leg, Lapointe was recalled and wound up the season by clubbing the ball at a .308 clip in 56 contests. The Phils, however, obtained Eddie Miller from the Cincinnati Reds during the off season and Lapointe was looking forward to spending much of the time on the bench.

With Sisler's departure, Manager Eddie Dyer said the job at first base for the Cards is between Nippy Jones and Glenn Nelson.

### Quote, Unquote

Ben Chapman, Phillies manager: "I'm aiming for every ball game we play. We will win more games than any year since I've been here—and this is my fourth year."

Cleaning the Cuff  
Ben Hogan is having so much trouble with an aching back that when he goes to tee up a golf ball he braces from the knees without bending over and slaps the tee blindly into the ground. But it doesn't interfere with his swing.

When Roosevelt Raceway opened in 1940 it was considered a rash experiment to run harness races in big city surroundings. This year 15 big city plants will operate.

The Argentine government is attempting to sign Ed Neal, 285-pound Green Bay Packer guard, to a contract which specifies that Ed must do the blacksmithing on an order for well digging rigs placed with Neal's employer in Wichita Falls, Tex.

### Scouting Trail

The regular monthly troop leaders round-table for Hempstead District was held at the Boy Scout Hut at Hope Park Monday night. In the absence of the commissioner, Field Executive J. A. Hickman was in charge. Ten troop leaders from Blevins, Washington, Fulton and Hope took part in the meeting. Clyde Coffee of troop 62 of 'Hope gave a discussion on "preparation for a hike", emphasizing planning and purpose.

During the patrol period, the program for the district camporee, to be held at Dykes Springs on April 16 and 17 was reviewed.

Skills demonstrated and practiced during the program were fire by flint and steel, and sharpening and safety of the axe.

Patrol contests were run in wood splitting and string burning; fires started by flint and steel.

The next troop leaders' round-table will be held on the first Monday in May.

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## Travelers Take Jackson by 17-4 Score

Little Rock, April 8.—(AP)—Little Rock's Travelers came home today after nearly a month of spring training and took the day off.

It was a well-earned rest. The Travelers have won nine of 12 exhibitions away from home.

They will make their initial home appearance against Indianapolis tomorrow night in the opener of a three-game series.

Little Rock notched a 17-4 decision over Jackson of the Southeastern League at Jackson last night. Veteran Second Baseman Bob Mavis led the Southern Association nine with six hits in seven times at bat, including four doubles, a triple and a single.

### Famous Coach Found in Dazed Condition

Calvin, Ill., April 8.—(AP)—A man believed to be Dr. John B. (Jack) Sutherland, professional football coach, was being treated in a hospital today after being found in a dazed condition in his parked automobile.

Officials at St. Mary's hospital reported the patient carried an automobile driver's license issued to John B. Sutherland, 59, is coach of the Pittsburgh Steelers of the National Professional League.

A nun at the hospital said "Mr. Sutherland is unable to talk coherently this morning. I wouldn't say his condition is improving. He doesn't seem to know what it is all about."

The man was found at Bandana, Ky., yesterday R. F. Crice, Ballard county jailer, said he was in a dazed condition. He was taken to the hospital by Dr. F. H. Russell Wickliffe, Ky., who said he was not certain of the patient's identity.

Dr. Russell said he was notified who hit .371 for Lynchburg, Va., last season.

The Redbird pilot said he intended to go along with his plan of shifting Stan Musial back to his old outfield position unless neither Jones or Nelson come up to expectations.

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## Wilson, Lewis Win Opening Skeet Shoot

Despite the wind Wednesday, the Hope Skeet Club held its first skeet shoot of the season with a good crowd.

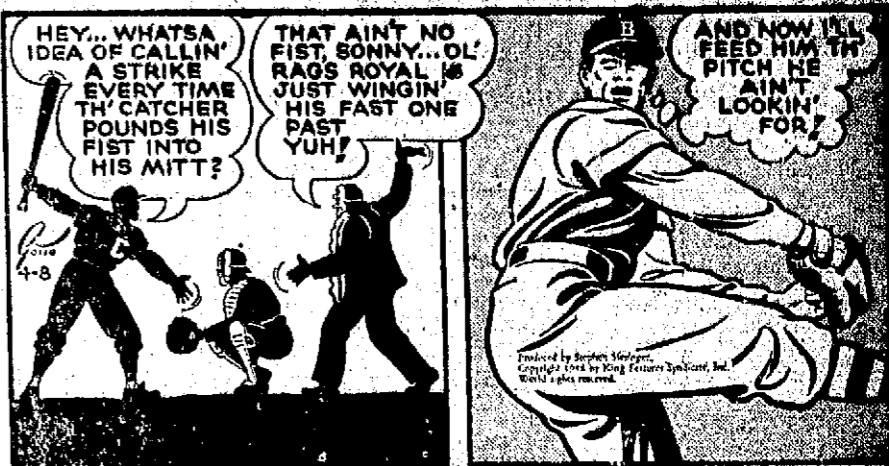
Perfect scores were shot by Jim Wilson, Sonny Griffin, Manuel Hamm and Gib Lewis.

Shot at 50	Broke
Jim Wilson	40
Gib Lewis	49
Manuel Hamm	47
Charles Bryan	47
E. R. Hamm	46
Sonny Griffin	46
Charles Wylie	43
Geo. E. Wylie	42
Rud Price	42
Arch Wylie	39
Dr. Smith	36
Concord Bob	33
L. Griffin	23
Shot at 25	Broke
Dr. Wilkes	21
Mrs. Bud Price	21
Leo Robins	20
Milton Mosier	12

that John B. Holohan, business manager of the Steelers, is enroute here by airplane.

Sutherland rose to fame by grid-iron coaching circles at the helm of the University of Pittsburgh Panthers. He amassed one of the greatest victory records in football history at the university as top-ranking eastern coach in the 1930's.

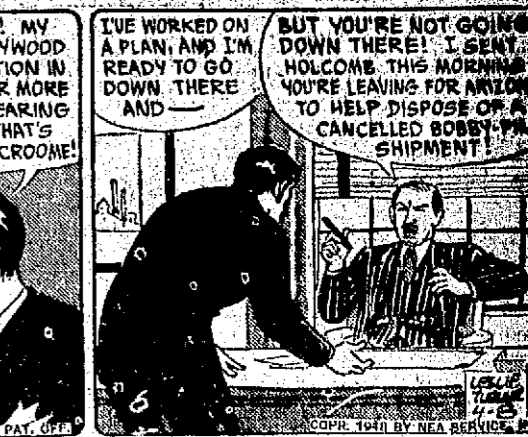
**By Ray Gott**



**By Michael O'Malley & Ralph Lane**



## BI Leslie Turner



**By Carl Anderson**

"Do you suppose I could claim workmen's compensation, J. G.? I cut it with the scissors while I was clipping coupons!"

### By Blosser



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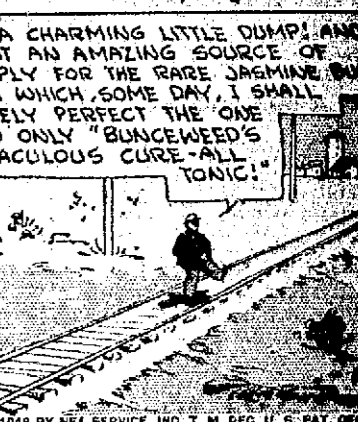
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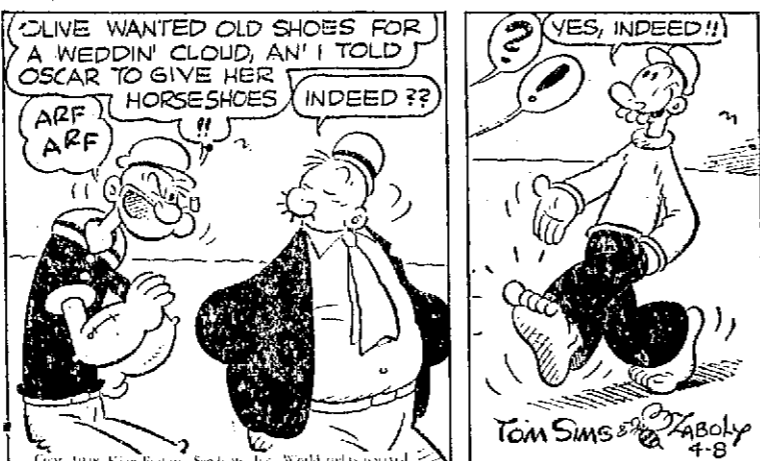
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## Condition of Roads in This Area

Highway No. 4: Dierks to Ouachita Co. Line. From Dierks to Nashville—Fair condition. One bridge under construction. Short detour of 1000 feet around bridge site. Blains to Prescott—Fair condition. Prescott to Ouachita Co. Line—Fair. Short detour of 1000 feet around bridge.

Highway No. 26: Junction No. 26 and No. 24 to the Junction of No. 26 and No. 27—Fair condition. Murfreesboro to Clark Co. Line—Good condition.

Highway No. 27: Junction No. 27 and No. 71 South of Hwy. 1000 to Kirby. Highway No. 71 to Mineral Springs—Fair condition. Mineral Springs to Kirby—Good condition.

Highway No. 28: Blains to Louisville Line. Blains to Hope—Fair condition. Hope to Louisville—Good condition. Louisville to Clark Co. Line—Fair condition.

Highway No. 32: Oklahoma Line to Red Bluff—Fair condition. Foreman to Ashdown—Under construction. Junction No. 32 and No. 73 from Columbus to Washington—Poor condition. Not recommended for travel in wet weather.

Highway No. 41: DeQueen to Red River. DeQueen to Horatio—Good condition except one mile of gravel South of DeQueen which is fair. Horatio to Red River—Fair condition. Gravel haul in progress.

Highway No. 53: Little Missouri River to Bodewad. Little Missouri River to Jet. No. 53 and No. 24—Fair. Junction No. 19 to Bodewad—Fair.

Highway No. 55: Mineral Springs to Fulton—Good condition.

Highway No. 67: Texarkana to Clark Co. Line—Heavy maintenance repairs in operation. Soft shoulders throughout entire section. Observe all traffic and warning signs. Construction operations through the city of Hope. Short detour maintained when necessary. Some broken places in slab causing rough places. Traffic should drive with caution.

Highway No. 70: Oklahoma Line

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## Four-Year Separate Tap Recovery Plan Sought

Washington, April 7 —(UP)—The army wants a four-year Japanese recovery program separate from the European one.

It would cost a fraction of the \$5,200,000,000 first year outlay in western Europe and would be under army rather than civilian direction.

William H. Draper, Jr., under secretary of the army, outlined the plan upon his return from Japan and Korea yesterday with a group of business men and officials who met in a three-week survey of American occupation problems.

The group included Paul G. Hoffman, named by President Truman to direct the European program. He joined Draper in describing as "essential" American efforts to put Japan on her feet.

Draper said the proposal has State Department as well as army backing. He also made plain to reporters that if Congress approves, the United States will go ahead with the effort despite criticism from any of the wartime Pacific Allies.

to Hot Spring Co. Line. Oklahoma line to Junction of Highway No. 70 and No. 71 East of DeQueen—Good.

Highway No. 71 and No. 70 East of DeQueen to Kirby—Fair condition. Kirby to Hot Spring Co. Line—Good.

Highway No. 71: Louisiana Line to Polk Co. Line—Condition good.

Highway No. 73: Junction No. 73 and No. 4 to Saratoga—Fair condition.

Highway No. 76: Junction No. 76 and No. 19 to Junction No. 76 and No. 4—Poor condition. Not recommended for travel in wet weather.

Highway No. 82: Texarkana to Columbia Co. Line. Texarkana to Garland City—Under construction. All traffic detour via No. 67 to Hope. No. 26 to Lewisville. 22-mile detour for light traffic is closed for repairs. Garland City to Columbia Co. Line—Good condition.

Highway No. 84: Kirby to Clark Co. Line—Fair condition.

Highway No. 108: Junction No. 108 and No. 67 Paup's Spur to Junction No. 108 and No. 71 Index—Good condition.

Highway No. 134: Junction No. 71 and No. 134 to Garland City—First 5 miles from the Junction of No. 71 East on No. 134—Poor condition. Balance not recommended for travel. No State maintenance on latter section.

Highway No. 160: Bradley to Spring Bank Ferry—Fair condition.

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## Signing of Foreign Aid Bill Swings Into Action, Fight to Halt Red Aggression

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

America's program to rehabilitate Western Europe, and halt Bolshevik aggression, has begun to swing into action with encouraging speed.

President Truman's signing of the bill last Saturday set under way a chain of developments calculated not only to implement the Marshall Plan but to complement it as a matter of fact.

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## Claims Staked in Uranium Rush

Flin Flon, Manitoba, April 8 —(UP)—More than 40 claims have been staked in the rocky hills around this town in the first week of a uranium rush that has brought atomic age prospectors flocking here by airplane with greener counters in their knapsacks.

Smooth-faced geologists have taken the place of the old-time prospectors. They have taken the place of the old-time prospectors. They have taken the place of the old-time prospectors.

But the fortune-seekers who have hurried to Flin Flon hoping to find the material of which atomic bombs are made are just as hopeful of getting rich-quick as were their grandfathers who sought yellow gold.

Planes loaded with wildcat prospectors, diamond drillers, geologists and speculators have arrived daily since prospectors George Branscombe and John McClelland announced a week ago that they had found uranium in the hills north of here.

The two actually discovered the valuable atomic mineral two years ago, but for security reasons the government delayed the announcement until last week. They have filed claims in the region.

Claim seekers have staked out most of the territory surrounding the location of the strike since the announcement.

Prices are soaring in this community of 12,000 persons which was established 17 years ago by the Hudson Bay company. Supplies are hard to bring in for there is no highway and only a single rail line.

The nearest big city is Winnipeg, 400 miles to the southeast. Flin Flon is a curious mixture of modern and primitive. Houses are built on stilts over muskeg and rock. Sidewalks are built along the top of sewer pipes which are laid above the ground because it would be difficult to bury them in the hard rock.

It gets so cold here in the winter that light bulbs must be kept burning 24 hours a day. If they are turned off the filaments freeze and break.

## Air Expansion May Take 15 Years

By ELTON C. FAY

Washington, April 8 —(UP)—Even if Congress orders a quick air force expansion program it may take nearly two years to get 15 more combat groups fully trained and equipped for battle, some air force officials said today.

Outlining a plan of formulating an directive of Congress into terms of men and airplanes ready to fight, they mentioned these factors to a reporter:

1. The time needed to train individuals as members of air crews and as members of the ground crews which keep the airplanes in condition to fly.

2. The training of units in the complex operation of plane formations on bomber strikes, fighter support or attack on enemy craft.

3. Providing the airplanes for the groups.

The air force at its present strength of 55 combat groups uses about 2,700 planes, not including reserves and some 400 to 500 others assigned to separate squadrons.

Altogether, for combat and other purposes such as training and transport, the present force has about 5,500 aircraft in operation.

Secretary of Air Symington has said 8,000 aircraft would be needed for the 70-group force, being demanded in the present force, plus about 5,000 planes for the National Guard and organized reserves "modern and up to date."

Some 3,200 new planes would have to be bought each year, he said.

Some even estimate that a 70-group air force could be operated by 450,000 men, compared with an estimated 400,000 needed to put the present 55 group force at full strength.

Congress members, in advocating the 70 group force, have not recommended what proportion should be bombers, fighters and other types. Nor has the air force disclosed its ideas publicly. However, the present 55 groups include 13 groups of B-29s and 24 groups of fighters. (A B-29 group averages between 27 and 30 planes, a fighter group 75.)

Likewise, there has been no indication of how much strength would be allocated between air groups in the United States and overseas.

The broad strategic plan followed currently by the air force is to keep its long range bomber organizations based in continental United States, ready to move overseas quickly if needed. There are two groups of B-29s in Japan, but none and elsewhere overseas. However, squadrons of B-29s make frequent training missions to both Europe and Japan.

grafters and politicians." Then he sat and waited, hour after hour.

Late in the afternoon, as Commissioner Ernest Lackmann walked into the office, Hunter put his hand in his right coat pocket and set off a detonator attached to three flashlight batteries. It was wired around his body to dynamite in his left pocket.

The explosion shattered doors and 15 windows, rained glass on pedestrians below, overturned chairs and desks and shook the whole building.

Parts of Hunter's body were scattered about the room. His note was found in a torn-off trouser pocket. Remnants of the bomb were in other pockets.

Miss Rannels described him as a "gentle, God-fearing man" who had a number of inventions other than his fatal bomb. She said he dreamed of "ending world suffering" with the others.

## Watches Dad, Husband Fight It Out

Maryville, Tenn., April 8 —(UP)—A 15-year-old bride kept an anxious vigil at the bedside of her critically wounded husband here today after watching in horror as he fought a main street gun duel with her father in an argument over their elopement.

Attendants at the Blount Memorial Hospital said the husband, 25-year-old Ray Adams, was in critical condition with wounds from a .38-caliber bullet that passed completely through his body in the abdominal region.

They said his chances for recovery were "not good."

The father, W. H. Justice, of nearby Townsend, Tenn., lay in another room at the same hospital with a gunshot wound in one hand. He was reported in good condition.

Sheriff Ben Mays arrested Justice yesterday after investigating the shooting which took place Tuesday. Justice was charged with assault with intent to murder and freed on \$7,500 bond.

Mays said the 55-year-old father met the young couple on the main street here as they returned from a short honeymoon in Georgia and Florida.

Justice and his son-in-law, a school-teacher, got into a heated argument, Mays reported. Suddenly they backed away from each other and began firing with pistols as frightened townspeople scattered in all directions.

The blonde, blue-eyed bride, Vera, sat rigid in her husband's car and looked on in mute horror as the two men shot it out.

When her husband fell, the youthful bride took him to the hospital. Nurses said she has never left her bedside except for several short periods for a few hours of rest.

Adams and Vera, a pretty freshman at Townsend High school, eloped over the weekend and were married in Georgia.

Mrs. Lee Caylor, Adams' mother, said the elopement climaxed a whirlwind three-weeks romance over the strenuous objections of the girl's parents.

When the couple returned, Mrs. Caylor said, her son was warned that Justice "was out to kill him." She said she did not know that

## her tall, blond son and the pretty high school girl had planned marriage or that they had eloped until after the shooting occurred.

Justice, who was taken to the hospital by his wife, made no attempt to resist arrest, the sheriff said.

He remained in the hospital, not under guard, after he posted bond.

Some kinds of sponges have been taken from ocean bottoms three miles deep, although most sponges live in shallow water.

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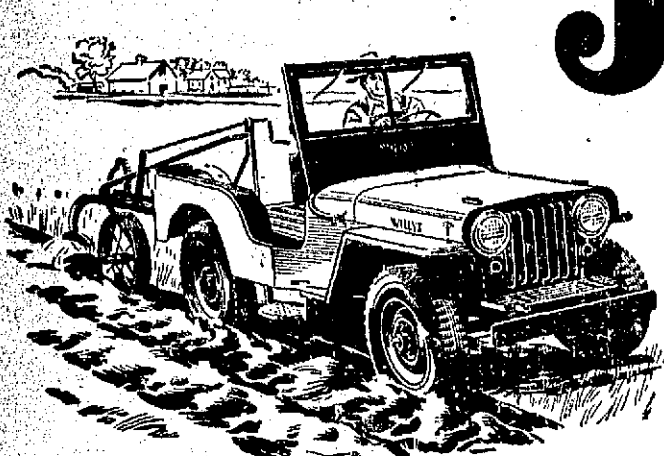
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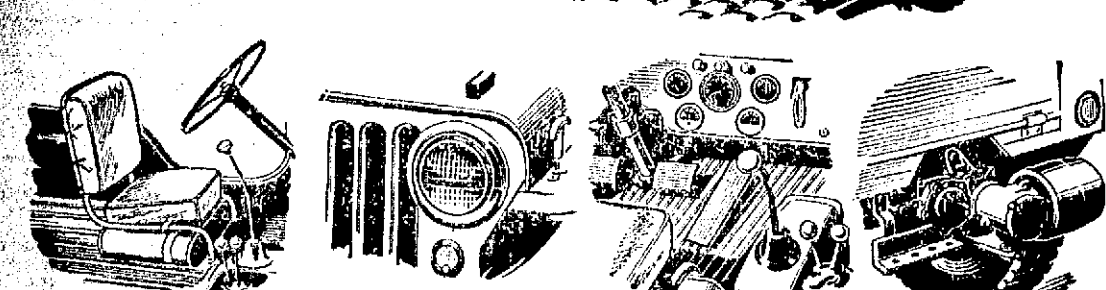
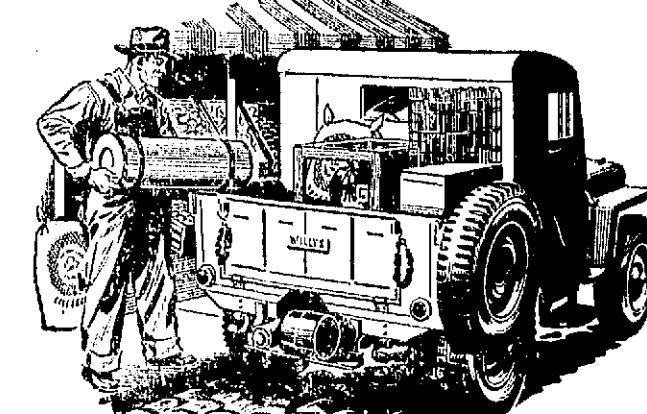
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